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 (preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the invention
- Brief Summary of the invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 34]

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 see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

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 The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a
 copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b,
 is considered as being part of the disclosure of the
 accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by
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6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
 (if applicable, all necessary)

- a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
 b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
 9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of
 (when there is an assignee) Attorney
 10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
 11. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS
 Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
 12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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 14. ☒ Small Entity ☐ Statement filed in prior application,
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 Application or Patent No.: _____
 Filed or Issued: Nov 8, 1999
 Title: Multiple simultaneous access

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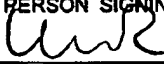
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Title: Multiple simultaneous access

- ☒ Specification, Claims, and Abstract: Nr. of Sheets 98
- ☒ Declaration: Date Signed: 11/8/1999
- ☒ Drawing(s): Nr. of Sheets Enc.: Formal 34 Informal: _____
- ☐ Small Entity Declaration of Inventor(s) ☒ SED of Non-Inventor / Assignee / Licensee
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- ☐ Disclosure Document Program reference letter.
- ☒ Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)(i), applicant claims priority of Aust. Provisional Patent Application Ser. NIPP7024
filed: Nov 9 1998
- ☐ Return Receipt Postcard Addressed to Applicant.
- ☒ **Request Under MPEP § 707.07(j):** The undersigned, a pro se applicant, respectfully requests that if the Examiner finds patentable subject matter disclosed in this application, but feels that Applicant's present claims are not entirely suitable, the Examiner draft one or more allowable claims for applicant.


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